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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title page, Item [54] and Column 1, line 3,
Title, after "KEYBOARD", insert -- A --.

Title page,
Item [57], ABSTRACT,
Line 9, after "and", insert -- serial --.

Column 1,
Line 10, after "not", insert -- hundreds --.
Line 13, after "mouse", insert -- separated --.
Line 20, after "is", insert -- often --.
Line 23, after "the", insert -- PC --.
Line 40, after "connect", insert -- the --.
Line 65, after "following", insert -- description --.

Column 2,
Line 2, after "present", insert -- invention --.
Line 14, after "is", insert -- coupled --.
Line 17, after "extension" (second occurrence), insert -- cable --.
Line 18, after "to", insert -- combine --.
Line 20, after "as", insert -- link --.
Line 21, after "male", insert -- RJ- --.
Line 49, after "by", insert -- now --.
Line 53, after "therein", insert -- which --.
Line 54, after "further", insert -- which --.
Line 64, after "slot", insert -- equipped --.
Line 65, after "thereon", insert -- a --.

Column 3,
Line 2, after "which", insert -- are --.
Line 9, after "connector", insert -- 328 --.
Line 52, after "204", insert -- via --.
Line 55, after "header", insert -- port --.
Line 63, after "are", insert -- separated --.

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Column 4.

Line 1, after "of", insert -- Fig. --.

Line 9, after "understood", insert -- that --.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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